

to the next point: Does it make common sense? Does it defend the interests of the people of the United States? Does it help prevent future terrorist actions?

It is time to get tough. It is time to roll up our shirt sleeves and say we have had enough of this. We are going to go out, and we are going to stop terrorism once and for all, and that is exactly what our President and his administration is intending on doing, and that is exactly what we should do as Members of the United States Congress. We should support our President, and we should support the Attorney General and our Vice President and Condoleezza Rice and the team and we should go out and do everything we can to do our part in stopping terrorism against the citizens of the United States and against all people of the world.

#### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. DEFazio (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today on account of personal business.

Mrs. ROUKEMA (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today and the balance of the week on account of illness in the family.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. LYNCH) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. BONIOR, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. LYNCH, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. MALONEY of New York, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. PALLONE, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. GANSKE, for 5 minutes, December 5.

Mr. PENCE, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GEKAS, for 5 minutes, December 5 and 6.

Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, for 5 minutes, December 5.

Mrs. MORELLA, for 5 minutes, December 5.

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. Trandahl, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly enrolled bills and a joint resolution of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 717. An act to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for research with respect to various forms of muscular

dystrophy, including Duchenne, Becker, limb girdle, congenital, facioscapulohumeral, myotonic, oculopharyngeal, distal, and Emery-Dreifuss muscular dystrophies.

H.R. 1766. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4270 John Marr Drive in Annandale, Virginia, as the "Stan Parris Post Office building".

H.R. 2261. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2853 Candler Road in Decatur, Georgia, as the "Earl T. Shinhoster Post Office".

H.R. 2291. An act to extend the authorization of the Drug-Free Communities Support Program for an additional 5 years, to authorize a National Community Antidrug Coalition Institute, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2299. An act making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2454. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5472 Crenshaw Boulevard in Los Angeles, California, as the "Congressman Julian C. Dixon Post Office".

H.J. Res. 71. Joint resolution, amending title 36, United States Code, to designate September 11 as Patriot Day.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Mr. MCINNIS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 8 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, December 5, 2001, at 10 a.m.

#### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

4689. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting authorization of transfers from the Emergency Response Fund for emergency recovery and response and national security activities; (H. Doc. No. 107-153); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

4690. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-187, "Impacted Resident Economic Assistance Temporary Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4691. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-184, "Disposal of District Owned Surplus Real Property Temporary Amendment Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4692. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-183, "Mandatory Autopsy for Deceased Wards of the District of Columbia and Mandatory Unusual Incident Report Temporary Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4693. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-182, "Public Disclosure of Findings and Information in Cases of Child Fatality or Near Fatality Amendment Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4694. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-177, "Parking Meter Fee Moratorium Temporary Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4695. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-174, "Chief Financial Officer Establishment Reprogramming During Non-Control Years Technical Temporary Amendment Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4696. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-173, "Sentencing Reform Technical Amendment Temporary Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4697. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-172, "Redevelopment Land Agency-RLA Revitalization Corporation Transfer Temporary Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4698. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-169, "Citizens with Mental Retardation Substituted Consent for Health Care Decisions Temporary Amendment Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4699. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-170, "Closing of a Portion of F Street, N.W., S.O. 99-70, Act of 2001" received December 3, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4700. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Bayou Lafourche, LA [CGD08-01-032] received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4701. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations: New Rochelle Harbor, NY [CGD01-01-195] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4702. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations: Hutchinson River, Eastchester Creek, NY [CGD01-01-182] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4703. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Inner Harbor Navigation Canal, LA [CGD08-01-037] received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4704. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations: Newtown Creek, Dutch Kills, English Kills and their tributaries, NY [CGD01-01-176] received November 16, 2001,